

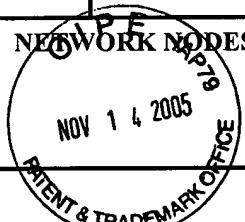
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Applicant(s): Harald Bock et al.

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Invention: **NETWORK NODES WITH OPTICAL ADD/DROP MODULES**COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

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## CLAIMS AS AMENDED

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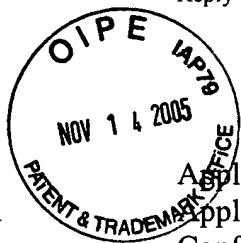
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**AMENDMENT**

Sir:

In response to the final Office Action dated August 10, 2005, please amend the above-identified patent application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 4 of this paper.